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\*North Korea-US: The USS Pueblo, a SIGINT ship patrolling international waters off North Korea, was seized by Communist patrol vessels this morning and escorted to the port of Wonsan.

Prior to boarding, the North Koreans fired on the US vessel, injuring four crew members--one critically. The <u>Pueblo</u> arrived off North Korea on 10 January for a three and one-half-week SIGINT collection operation, the first targeted at North Korea.

In its propaganda during the last few weeks, Pyongyang has taken a notably harsh line on US domestic and foreign policies, particularly toward the American presence in Asia. (TOP GENET NO FOREIGN ) DISSEM) (Map)

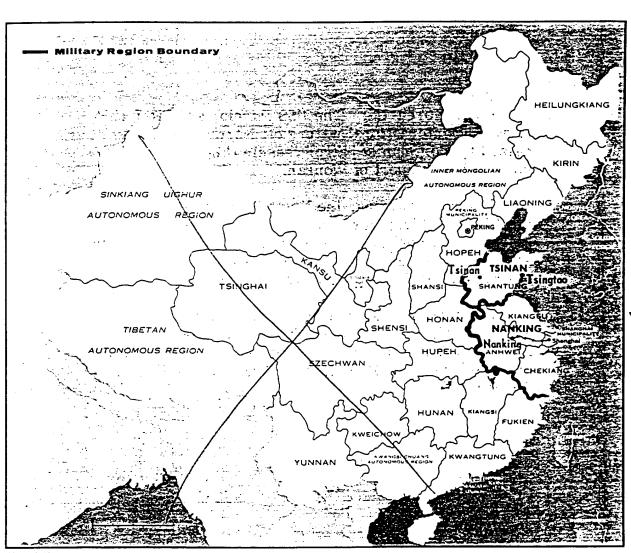
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